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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed June 30, 2004 in connection with the above-identified patent application, the Applicant respectfully submits the following Amendment and Response After Final.

With this paper, Applicants also file a petition for a two-month extension of time to respond. In the event that any other extension or additional fees are due to have this Amendment and Response After Final entered and considered, this is a conditional petition for such extension, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

- The **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper
- The **RESPONSE** begins on page 7 of this paper.